

**CHAPTER 1135**

## ANIMAL CONTEST EVENTS — SPECTATORS

S.F. 2203

**AN ACT** relating to contest events where an animal is injured, tormented, or killed, by providing a penalty for spectators.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

Section 1. Section 717D.1, subsection 8, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

8. "Spectator" means a person who attends an establishment ~~for purposes of witnessing~~ knowingly to watch or observe a contest event.

Sec. 2. Section 717D.2, subsection 9, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

9. Gambling at a contest event conducted in this state, including but not limited to wagering on the outcome of a contest involving animals.

10. Act as a spectator of a contest event conducted in this state, regardless of whether the person paid admission to witness the contest event.

Sec. 3. Section 717D.4, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

717D.4 PENALTIES.

1. Except as provided in ~~subsection 2~~ section 717D.2, subsection 10, a person who violates a provision of this chapter ~~is guilty of~~ commits a class "D" felony.

2. A person who violates section 717D.2, subsection 10, by acting as a spectator of a contest event conducted in this state ~~is guilty of an~~ commits the following:

a. An aggravated misdemeanor for the first offense.

b. A class "D" felony for a second or subsequent offense.

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**CHAPTER 1136**

## PAYMENT OF WAGES

S.F. 2222

**AN ACT** relating to payment of wages.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

Section 1. Section 91A.3, subsection 3, paragraph a, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code Supplement 2007, is amended to read as follows:

The wages paid under subsection 1 shall be ~~sent to the employee by mail or be paid at the employee's normal place of employment during normal employment hours or at a place and hour mutually agreed upon by the employer and employee, or the employee may elect to have the wages sent for direct deposit, on or by the regular payday of the employee, into a financial institution designated by the employee.~~ Upon written request by the employee, wages due may be sent to the employee by mail. The employer shall maintain a copy of the request for